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## REMARKS

Claims 15 and 37 were objected to as allowable but for their dependence on a rejected parent claim. Objected-to claim 15 depends directly from independent claim 1. Thus, in the above amendments, Applicant wholly incorporated claim 15 into independent claim 1 and cancelled claim 15. This action places claim 1 and dependent claims 2-22 in condition for allowance.

Further, objected-to claim 11 depends directly from independent claim 23. Thus, in the above amendments, Applicant wholly incorporated claim 11 into independent claim 23 and cancelled claim 11. This action places claim 23 and dependent claims 24-44 in condition for allowance.

In summary, the above amendments directly comport with the examiner's indication of allowable subject matter and all claim amendments and additions herein are based on the combination of objected-to dependent with their corresponding independent claims. As such all claims stand in condition for allowance and Applicant respectfully looks forward to receiving indication as such by the examiner. If the examiner has any questions regarding this response, he is encouraged to call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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